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WHAT CAN TOWN DO IF THE LIGHTS ARE TURNED OFF?

Cancel Franchise and Have the
Privilege to Sue For Dam-
ages, says Council

Local advice was furnished the town council on Monday night to the effect that the liquidators of the Alberta Electric company had a perfect right to shut down the plant if they were so disposed, but that such action would give the town the formal right to cancel the franchise of the company, and also give the town the privilege to sue for damages caused by inconvenience, etc.

Inasmuch as the permanent liquidators will be appointed tomorrow and there might be something doing Mayor Flanagan notified the Aldermen that if anything in the nature of a strike occurred, he would call a special meeting for the purpose of taking the necessary steps for the cancellation of the franchise and an action for damages.

The discussion on this point was brief as the Council did not consider it at all likely that the plant would be closed.

Bassano school district wrote for permission to use hydro power for flooding the rink at the school. This was granted, and under the supervision of the town engineer.

A committee of the International Engineers wrote expressing their appreciation of the entertainment received in Bassano.

Reports of the Chief of Police, the waterworks and fire committee were adopted, as also were the financial report and auditor's report.

George Gohert was appointed auctioneer for the sale of town lots on Dec. 1, at a salary of \$10.

A communication from the owner of Lot 1, block 9, 218AAB was received stating he would be in a position to pay tax arrears by Dec. 1. A motion was passed to the effect that the property would be withdrawn from sale if the amount was paid.

It was moved and carried that the waterworks committee be authorized to accept the lowest tender for special fittings for the new pumps, provided they were up to specifications.

Moved by Purcell and McKelvie, that three delegates be appointed to the irrigation convention. The selection was left to the Mayor.

On motion (Geo. B. R. Bond was appointed returning officer, and the town hall was selected as the place for the election and polling in the coming municipal election.

Considerable discussion was indulged in over the action of E. G. Padden in asking \$20 rental for the hall for the coming convention, when it is alleged that he had in public offered to give the use of the hall, rental free.

While on the subject of school matters the expression was given to the effect that it was hard to find out whether the Minister of Education, the School Board or the teachers were running the school. It was believed by most of the Aldermen that the teachers had altogether too much liberty, closing up the school just whenever they wanted to for any old time convention.

GETS A RISE

Word has been received that Stewart Graham has been appointed to the position of Assistant Manager of the Ford Motor Co. in Calgary, with head offices at Calgary.

Mr. Graham, it will be remembered, is the man who accompanied the Colorado colonists from Colorado to Bassano in the spring of last year. At that time he fell in love with the West, and decided to throw in his lot here, where he considered the chances for any young man were good.

Mr. Graham attached himself to the Ford Car Company a few months ago, and by hard work and sobriety he has risen in the esteem of the company with the result as above.

His many friends here will be pleased to learn of his promotion.

THE BASSANO MAIL

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This was the slogan of the Colorado farmers who settled on the Bassano Colony last year. If money talks, results speak. In the case of the Bassano Colony, they shout:
Irrigate! Cultivate! Irrigate, and Succeed!

Come to the Western Canada Irrigation Convention, Bassano, Nov. 23, 24 and 25

Come, and learn about the success of the fathers

FIGHTING BOB SENDS LETTER FROM THE FRONT

Getting Quite Accustomed to the
Shells and Bullets—Expecting
A Big Drive

The following letter from B. McKelvie, (fighting Bob) ex-alderman, who is now at the front, has been received here. The letter addressed to John S. Mayor, has been handed to us for publication:

"You will be surprised to hear from me, but I trust the surprise will be a pleasant one and have no disastrous effects. I am glad that your part of the country, in fact all Canada, is enjoying a wonderful harvest. If ever it was needed this year is the time.

We have been in France nearly a month now and in and out of the trenches, outpost duty, etc. We have had a formulae in only about 15 of us have met with casualties, but of course if we make a drive in the next few days as rumored things will be different. I am becoming quite accustomed to the shells and bullets, but naturally at first was quite nervous.

As you are aware Brig.-Gen. Silvana is commanding our brigade. I trust both you and Mrs. Mayor are enjoying good health, also our mutual friend Pierre. Give him my best wishes.

Along with all of you, perhaps more so than many, I long for the war to cease, and if ever I am fortunate enough to again see Red Old Canada, a lot of persons will be necessary to get me to leave it there again. This is a self proposition we are up against, but we will eventually win, and may that day come quickly.

WHEN WILL WAR END?

In a suit of damages in lieu of notice, and claiming he was hired by the month, a German named Feldman appeared on Friday night before Magistrate Skerritt in a charge against F. J. Peterson (defendant).

John S. Mayor who appeared for the defendant argued that a German had no rights in a British court, and the magistrate adjourned the case until after the war.

The night previous Magistrate Norden awarded Feldman \$8.25 wages, and Feldman finding the magistrate so accommodating came back and got fooled as above.

HAVE YOU ROOMS

Any persons having spare rooms during the three convention days next week are requested to notify R.A. Travis, secretary of the Board of Control immediately. If you can accommodate anybody you should feel it your duty to see that every visitor to town is properly taken care of.

All members of the Women's Institute are requested to be at the lecture by Miss Goldie on Tuesday evening next. Subject: "Advantages of Household Science Training for Country Girls."

COMMUNICATION The Mail does not hold itself responsible for opinions expressed by its correspondents.

Editor Bassano Mail, Bassano, Alberta.

Dear Sir:

At the last meeting of the Board of Trade it was insisted to look into the matter of the variance of weights in the various scales in town.

In justice to the Ogilvie elevator I now wish to state that I tested two loads with the Atlas Lumber Company scales and those of Messrs. Daehler & Plummer, both of which ran very evenly.

I weighed the whole of my car through the Daehler & Plummer scales, and there was only a difference of two pounds in their weights and those of the Ogilvie elevator scales.

Yours truly,
H. A. Travis.

BULEYA COUNCIL

A meeting of the Council of the Rural Municipality of Buleya, No. 215, was held at J. L. Ryan's on Nov. 1, for the transaction of business.

Councillor Couture moved the resolution from the Lethbridge L. D. bearing on the taxation of leases be left over for further consideration.

Councillor Couture moved that the secretary notify Poundkeeper Coxon that according to Clause C of Sec. 21, Sub-section 1 of the Stock by-law, a charge must be made of \$5 on all stallions or bulls of one year old and upwards, whether the person impounding them demands it or not. All monies unclaimed in this respect shall revert to the municipality. And in accordance with definition he be asked to pay Walter Thacker his claim. Carried.

A bylaw respecting bridges was introduced to the Buleya and during the meeting was drawn up by next meeting on the motion of G. A. Foster.

Reeve Stewart declared his intention of having the annual meeting of ratepayers called to meet in the Hutton hall on Monday, November 13 at one o'clock.

The councillors discussed the question of disqualifying the electors for non-payment of taxes, but nothing was done in the matter. Consequently three-fourths of the electors in this municipality will lose their votes at the coming election unless they get a move on and come bringing in the shavers to the tax collector before December.

The Council have arranged for the people to vote on the stock bylaw as to whether they want the present 7 months' herd law; a 12 months' herd law or none at all.

NOT BUYING ANY HORSES FOR THE FRENCH REMOUNT

Something Happened and Home-
men Had Better Not Bring
In Stock Saturday

From notifications received from headquarters it is apparent that the French Remount Commission has ceased purchasing horses in Alberta for a time. The following letter in this respect received from W. F. Stevens vice stock commissioner, is self explanatory.

"I learned on Thursday, the 11th inst., that the French Commission had ceased buying, at least temporarily. I went to Calgary at once to ascertain the reason therefor. I found that a change of inspectors had been made, and that the new inspector arrived on the 10th, just about the same time as the 11th inst. He said that a child which had been in an abscise in his face, from which he is still suffering.

"When buying will be resumed I am unable to say. The opinion was expressed amongst those connected with the party that there was a likelihood that a new inspector would have to be secured or that the buying would have to be done at central points where the animals could be inspected under cover, if necessary.

"I regret very much the inconvenience which I know many of the horsemen have suffered on account of this. However, I may say that while the weather remained fine and the old inspector, Commandant Courtois, was on the job, they were buying from 25 to 40 horses per day. The Commandant's last day was at Eagle Butte, where he purchased 15 head. On the day previous he purchased in Edmonton 35 head."

At all. Voters engaged to place a cross opposite the line they like best. On the motion of Councillor McDonald the following election officials and polling places were approved:

Returning officer, John Davies, Favor; Div. 1, H. M. Brander, at L. W. Goldsmith's; div. 2, G. W. Ingham at James Goodwin's; div. 3, John A. McGay at Henshaw Lassen's; div. 4, Art. Hogan at Wm. Jones'; div. 5, Geo. S. Hogan at John Tomblin's; div. 6, A. R. Diamond at J. Chapman's.

Fees were approved as follows: Returning officer, \$20; deputy returning officers, \$10; mileage for delivery of ballots for polling stations, \$5; payable in the event of an appeal.

The poll will be declared at the secretary's residence on Tuesday, December 14 at noon.

John Davies, Secretary-Treasurer.

EVERYTHING READY FOR BIG CONVENTION HERE NEXT WEEK

Will Be Large Number of Delegates and Everything is Being Arranged
For Their Convenience. Many Entries Have Been
Made For The Exhibition.

Next Tuesday the big irrigation convention opens here, and every citizen is supposed to be a booster for irrigation during every day, and irrigate as much as they want to every evening. Irrigation during

MAJORVILLE

Mr. Larsen, a thrashing machine of Bassano, who looked over this district some time ago for big thrashing contracts pulled his machine through East Majorville a short time ago on route to Chris Helevang's.

W. Carr whose machine is working on Baker section, is having lots of engine trouble up to date, but as he was able to thrash the 15th inst. in 11 days there has been very little delay so far.

Our dear little "Rory" put an awful strain on the vocabulary of the good people of Grinnam recently, where he was thrashing for the Chemunna-Kell and thrashing outfit. It's a pity he has to be back with us once more leading in the sunshine of the "Pinky Belt." Never again will three and a half dollars be paid for a thrashing contract.

Chas. Hooder from the Missouri jungle passed through Bassano Oct 22 en route to Majorville, where he stated he had a contract to thrash the Chemunna-Kell and thrashing outfit. It's a pity this machine couldn't get a blow in at the irrigation exhibition.

The P. Miller and Sons thrashing machine of whom we have heard quite a lot of late, are making steady progress with their thrashing contracts. Having just finished up on sec 9, which is the last of the 1300 acres of heavy crop contracted for by Fred. Miller will now disengage with the cook car and bundle team, the same which goes to what that thrashing is not what it's cracked up to be, at least this year, even to an old timer like J. P. so far as we fail to see what Pre's machine has on that little bit of the horsemen who have suffered on account of this. However, I may say that while the weather remained fine and the old inspector, Commandant Courtois, was on the job, they were buying from 25 to 40 horses per day. The Commandant's last day was at Eagle Butte, where he purchased 15 head. On the day previous he purchased in Edmonton 35 head."

Count not that day lost whose ho-deciding men seem some plug like loose a ton of dynamite.

On Friday evening last a farewell dance was given in the Liberty school house of Mrs. Buchanan who is preparing to leave for a trip to her old home in Oregon. A pretty fair crowd turned out to enjoy a sociable evening and a good time was noticed by all.

On Friday, Nov. 19, Fred Regge will give a wedding dance in the Liberty school house.

H. J. Wienech of this district who purchased a complete thrashing outfit and engine trouble with the engine has at last got it condemned and will have a new engine on the job as soon as possible. The expert also gave judgment against the machine company for \$250. We judge from that that the so-called expert's bill proper to amount 1500 pounds.

It is quite proper that an acquaintance of ours should think that "experience" was a thrashing machine with plenty of spare men and lots of grain going over.

the day will not be allowed.

It will doubtless require very little effort on the part of the citizens to boost for irrigation, as everybody knows that the success of the town depends largely on the settlement of the irrigated sections in close proximity to the town, and every farmer settled on those lands will tell you it is the greatest boon to the country.

Dick Travis, who is secretary of the local board of control, and who is in close touch with the arrangements estimates that there will be two or three hundred visitors in town during the three days, and that the guests will be picked up two and three deep in the hotels. Should it be found that the local accommodation is not adequate for the crowd the C. P. R. will make arrangements for a string of tourist cars at the station, but no irrigation car.

Entries for the exhibition, which will be held in the Bassano Trading Co. store, are coming in fast, and it is expected there will be a splendid array of goods grown both with and without irrigation. There will also be a good list of domestic goods.

Saenger Wheeler, who for several months has been in charge of the exhibition at the International Exhibition will be here from Saskatchewan with an exhibit. W. A. Smith of Revelstoke, B. C., is coming with the products of that fruit and vegetable belt, and Strathmore is getting ready a good irrigation exhibit.

A good bunch of looters from Kamloops are now in Calgary, ready to pounce down on the town next week in attempt to carry away the convention for next year. Mayor Corbett of Calgary has also intimated his intention to be present.

Sessions will be held morning, afternoon and evening of the first day, while the afternoon of the second day will be devoted to a trip to the dam, and the evening of the last day to a banquet at the Berkley hotel and a dance at Robinson's hall.

Some big things are expected.

FOR SWEET CHARITY

At the home of Mrs. McClary on Oct. 30 the Ne Plus Ultra Club was formed with the object of putting on entertainments, etc., to raise funds for the Red Cross Society, and the Poverty Dance tomorrow night will mark their debut.

The officers of the club are as follows: Mrs. McClary, president; Mrs. Morloch, 1st vice; Mrs. John Ferguson, 2nd vice; Miss Hazel Ferguson, sec.; Miss Irene Bennett, treas.

The dance tomorrow night should be well attended as you can wear any old thing you like—nothing new and respectable please?

CLUB IS FORMED

The Bassano club was formed last night in Pierce's hardware store, and it is anticipated there will be some thirty or forty charter members. Any person wishing to become a member is asked to hand his name to any one of the committee appointed consisting of Jack Clyde, R. H. Boyd and P. W. Stow.

Alfa settles in the irrigation block



Alf. Alfa has taken up land in the Irrigation Block. He became inoculated with Alberta's irrigable soil and planted himself in grim earnest

He is a satisfied settler too, and has extended his planting until 1000 acres are under the ditch.

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3. The Mother Country has for years, practically borne the burden of your protection alone.
4. In this hour of trial we desire Great Britain to realize that every Canadian is supporting and upholding her Cause.
5. The war in which we are engaged is a righteous cause, a struggle for Truth, Liberty and for the sacredness of Treaties and the given word.
6. If you can't go yourself, you can help to make it possible for others to go by guaranteeing that their families will be provided for in their absence.
7. The object of the Canadian Patriotic Fund is to make provision for ALL families of soldiers going from Canada to take part in the present war.
8. Those who have gone to the front are making greater sacrifices than anything we can do at home.
9. An unparalleled crisis in the world's history calls for supreme sacrifice on our part.

**We Must Do Our Duty.
We Must Fight or Pay.**

OUR ROLL OF HONOR

Following is the preliminary official Roll of Honor of men who have enlisted from the town of Bassano in the Overseas Expeditionary forces, and is subject to correction or revision.

Any person noting any error or omission will confer a favor by notifying Geo. B. Bond at the town hall of the same in order that the necessary corrections may be inserted in next week's paper:

Albert Neillman, joined at outbreak of war.

Arzelli, Chas., Pte. 2nd Batt.

Barker, J. S., Pte. 2nd Batt.

Bonnet, L. E., Pte. 4th P.E.

DeLoraine, Chas., Lieut. French Reserve.

Brund, Jas., Pte. 2nd Batt.

Bremley, Robert, L.Corp. 3rd C.M.R.

Burdette, Thos., Pte. 3rd C.M.R.

Chambers, W., Pte. Can. Eng.

Connelly, L., Indian Reserve.

Chapman, Hugh E., Pte. 2nd Batt.

Croal, A. H., Pte. 2nd Batt.

Douglas-Dewar, Pte. 3rd Batt.

Dyer, E. Arnold, Lieut. 1st Shop.

Killed in action.

Epps, F. T., Gun. 38th Battery, C.E.A.

Forrester, Alex., Pte. 10th Batt.

Ferguson, John, Pte. 5th Batt.

Field, F., 7th Batt.

Garland, R., Pte. Can. Eng.

Gill, Gordon, Corp. Can. Eng.

Gray, B. T., Pte. 2nd Batt.

Hargy, J. W., Lieut. Dental Corps.

Hanna, Robt. N., Pte. 2nd Batt.

Hall, H., Pte. 2nd C.M.R.

Hall, Cecil, Pte. 10th Batt. (Killed in action.)

Hill, Stanley, Pte. 10th Batt. (Killed in action.)

Hobbs, S. A., Pte. A.V.C.

Isaac, Charles, Pte. 1st Batt.

Jay, Wm., Pte. 10th Batt.

Johnson, A. E., Pte. 10th Batt.

Johnson, Oswald, Pte. 2nd Batt.

Kilbuck, Herbert, Pte. 3rd Field Amb.

Lanville, J. H., Pte. 2nd Batt.

Meredith, C. T., Pte. Can. Eng.

Murdoch, E. R., Pte. 5th Batt.

Myers, Robt., Pte. 3rd C.M.R.

McLean, Magnus, Pte. 1st Batt.

McLean, Robert, Pte. 2nd Batt.

Owen, Fred, Pte. 10th Batt.

Owen, L., Sergt. (Killed in action.)

Palfrey, Thos., Pte. 1st Batt.

Parker, H. M., Pte. 10th Batt.

Rushaway, A., Pte. 5th Batt.

Reber, John, Pte. 5th Batt.

Rehner, Douglas, Pte. 10th Batt.

Rehner, John, Sergt. P.E.C. 1st.

Ross, Richard, Pte. 2nd Batt.

Sanderson, F. G., Pte. 2nd Batt.

Shaw, Guy M., Lieut. A.V.C.

Simons, John, Lieut. A.V.C.

Smith, John, Pte. 5th Batt.

Stow, James, Sergt. 4th Hussars (Killed in action.)

Stewart, Raymond, Pte. 1st Field Amb.

Thompson, Jas. H., Pte. 2nd Batt.

Wilson, Len, Pte. Can. Eng.

White, Thos., Pte. 10th C.O. R.W.C.

Whitely, Fred, Sergt. 2nd Batt.

Whitely, Johnathan, Pte. 2nd Batt.

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except Sunday 7:00 a.m.

GOING EAST

No. 4, 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

No. 2, 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

No. 1, 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Calgary Local (daily)

except Sunday 7:00 a.m.

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Cream and Robin Hood 25c
Cream of Wheat—pkts. 25c
Grape Nuts—pkts. 15c
Roman Meal—per pkt. 25c
Baking Powder—per lb. 20c
Jelly Powder—3 for - 25c
Crisco - 25c
Vinegar—quart bottle - 15c
Salmon—15c, 7 for 1.00, 25c
Sardines - 6c and 10c

Tea— 3 lbs for 1.00
1 lb. - 45c
Apples—Shaws, Jonathans,
Spies, McIntosh, Red,
Wagners, Baldwin's, Spitz,
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Black and Copenhagen Blue,
blue, per yd - 60c
Ladies Underwear, two-piece gar-
ments and combinations, also
Misses' and Children's Under-
wear.
House Slippers, special value 1.25

Hendry & Johnston
"The Quality Store"

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Joey Gray spent Sunday in Cal-

William Bramley has been ap-
pointed caretaker for the new post
office.

Raymond Stewart of the Red
Cross corps, was a visitor to town
for several days last week.

Miss Mort arrived here last Sun-
day night to take a position in the
Union bank.

Miss Shepherd of Calgary, has
taken the position of stenographer
in the Bank of Commerce. Some
inducement for young fellows to
open savings accounts.

A dance was pulled off on Friday
night last by R.A. Bird which pro-
ved a financial lemon. A pleasant
time was had.

H. W. Ford, manager of the
local branch of the Atlas Lumber
Co., is leaving the employ at the
end of the month. It is not known
yet who his successor will be.

All the best grocery stores in
town have changed their advertise-
ments this week. They are worth
reading as there are many bargains
in them.

An adjourned meeting of the
Board of Trade will be held in the
Town Hall tonight. Important
business on hand.

The geological report for the
month of October is crowded out
this week. It will appear in next
issue if the editor doesn't irrigate
too much.

The fire fighters are getting their
toss trimmed up for a dance on
New Year's eve. Some day when
The Mail gets time we will get their
bills out for them.

Rae I. King of Badger Lake,
(formerly editor of The Mail) was
in town Sunday. His many friends
were looking for him to congratu-
late him on the addition to his
family. But Rae is bashful.

It is said that there are between
50 and 70 loads of grain across the
river waiting for a crossing. Which
goes to show how much the Pro-
vincial member thinks of Bassano if
he doesn't get a bridge across there
pretty soon.

GEM THEATRE

FRIDAY

5--- Reels--- 5

Francis Ford and Grace
Conrad and Company, stars
of the "Broken Coin" in a
three reel picture called,

"The Heart of a Lincoln"

A New Topical Weekly

and

A Comedy

SATURDAY

Fatty Arbuckle in a
Keystone Comedy

S. A. WATSON

(The Local Jeweler)

Wishes to Announce his
appointment as official
watch inspector for the
Canadian Pacific Railway Co.
at this point.

His appointment was made
recently in the terms of the fol-
lowing letter:

Winnipeg, Nov. 1, 1915
S. A. Watson, Esq.
Jeweler, Bassano.
Dear Sir:—Under separate
cover, and in care of the agent,
I am forwarding you the neces-
sary stationery to carry on and
report the inspection of watches.
Please acknowledge receipt.
Yours truly,
R. F. STRUTHERS,
Chief Inspector Time Service.

Mr. Davis of Macleod is now em-
ployed in the Union bank.

Sam Takington leaves on Sat-
urday for San Francisco, Cal.

Hugh Clugston left on Saturday
to join the ranks of the 82nd. God
help de Kaiser!

Mr. Keck left last week to spend
the winter in Manitoba. That's a
cold place to go for the winter.

The Court of Revision on the Vet-
ters' List was held on Monday
night. The list was confirmed and
will be published.

H. B. Muckleston, chief engineer
of the C. P. R. at Calgary, and A.
Dawson, district passenger agent,
are in town today.

Miss P. M. Steeves of Bridgeport,
Conn., is visiting with her sister,
Mrs. John S. Mavor, and will prob-
ably spend the winter here.

Mrs. J. Bolmer has taken charge
of the Hughie Clugston store. She's
a good feller and will keep the
business humming.

A Cador has taken over man-
agement of the Jas. Fenlon pool
room. Jimmy will still run the
barber shop.

Patriotic meetings will be held at
Cluny and Ouelletville tonight and
tomorrow night respectively. John
S. Mavor and C. R. Mitchell will
tell the folks what's all about.

The proceeds of the fowl supper
last week amounted to about \$75.
This does not go towards the
pastor's salary. Too bad, but then
collections are picking up nicely,
thank you.

Ashley H. Goodwin of Gleichen,
has been appointed day operator at
Bassano station, and in the mean-
time the telephone wires between
the two places have been kept real
hot.

Now that Hughie Clugston has
gone, and the roosting club for the
boys is under the strict censorship
of a lady manager, Joe King invites
the boys to make his pool room
their headquarters. Joe will treat
the boys right, will let them eat
peanuts out of a bag and scat-
ter the shells all over the floor if
they like. Pool can be paid for by
the game or by the hour.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the rate-
payers of the Bassano School Dis-
trict No. 2131 will be held at the
town hall Monday, Nov. 29th, at
7 p. m. FRANK BERRY, Sec.-Treas.

**The Town of Bassano,
Alberta**

**AUCTION SALE OF TOWN LOTS
UNDER TAX ENFORCEMENT**

THE TOWN OF BASSANO will offer
for sale by public auction, at the Town
Hall, Bassano, Alberta, on Wednesday,
December 1st, 1915, at 2 o'clock p. m.,
the following Lots, which have become
forfeited to the said Town, under Tax
Enforcement proceedings. This sale will
be subject to prior redemption and to the
upward prices hereinafter mentioned.
Terms of sale will be cash.

Lot	Block	Plan	Upset Price
15	1	1847-K	\$152.00
16	1	1847-K	153.00
17	2	1847-K	238.00
11	7	3875-T	735.00
12	7	3875-T	835.00
10	4	3875-T	87.00
4	8	3875-T	158.00
7	8	3875-T	108.00
5	9	3158-A.B.	118.00
6	9	3158-A.B.	90.00
7	9	3158-A.B.	90.00
10	9	3158-A.B.	85.00
10	10	3158-A.B.	105.00
11	12	3158-A.B.	140.00
12	12	3158-A.B.	105.00
13	12	3158-A.B.	105.00
14	12	3158-A.B.	105.00
11	13	3158-A.B.	310.00
12	13	3158-A.B.	255.00
17	9	4437-A.D.	25.00
18	9	4437-A.D.	25.00
20	10	4437-A.D.	30.00
29	10	4437-A.D.	30.00
30	10	4437-A.D.	30.00
39	10	4437-A.D.	30.00
40	10	4437-A.D.	30.00
41	10	4437-A.D.	30.00
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96	10	4437-A.D.	30.00
97	10	4437-A.D.	30.00
98	10	4437-A.D.	30.00
99	10	4437-A.D.	30.00
100	10	4437-A.D.	30.00

Dated at Bassano, this 19th day
of October, A.D., 1915.

GEO. B. R. BOND,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Classified Advs.

BOARD OF TRADE

The adjourned meeting of the
Bassano Board of Trade will be
held tonight (Thursday), Nov. 18,
at 8 o'clock in the town hall.

FOR SALE

Two jacket heaters, also vegetable
of all kinds. Large quantities of turn-
ips. Apply BASSANO FURNITURE STORE.

FOR SALE

A good barn 14x16, built with
roof, good hay mow. VII accommo-
date two teams or one team and an auto-
mobile. To be moved from premises,
will move easily. Apply Box 61 Bassano.

LOST!

One Cayuse, chestnut colored gelding,
weight about 800 pounds, four white
feet, branded L on left shoulder. Re-
ward for information leading to recovery
to FRED BRENNAN, Box 100, Bassano.

TO RENT

Four or five rooms over store. Suit-
able for boarding house or family heated
with furnace. Bath, hot and cold
water. Apply at E. F. PURCELL'S.

Garbutt Business College

SUBJECTS: Bookkeeping, Typewriting, Shorthand, Rapid Calcula-
tion, Correspondence, Penmanship, Office Practice, Commercial Law, Sales-
manship, Arithmetic, Multigraphing, Dictation, Pen, Billings, Higher
Accountancy, Martellization.
Our graduates are being placed in responsible positions at initial
salaries ranging from \$20 to \$100.00 per month. Write for information to
F. G. Garbutt, President. SCHOOLS FROM COAST TO COAST

**\$28.50 Harness \$28.50
ONLY**

for our Special Farm Harness made
in Bassano.

Riding Boots made to order at	\$14.00
Hand-made Shoes to order at	8.00
Riding Saddles at	15.00
Heavy Stock Saddles made to order	\$50.00 to 90.00
Second-Hand Stock Saddles at	30.00

Let us Oil your Shoes and Harness with Vaseline Waterproof
Oil. It makes them wear longer.

JAS. CRASKE, Harness-Maker JOHN SIENKOWICZ, Shoe-Maker

Bassano Harness Co., Limited

**EXCEPTIONAL VALUES
OFFERED AT
PURCELL'S
CONVENTION WEEK**

20 lb. B.C. Sugar	1.50	Crisco	80c
25 lb. Evap. Peaches	1.90	Does your boy want a suit?	
Flour, 98 lb. 2.75, 3.00, 3.10		Have him come in and see	
Corn, per tin	10c	the snappy suits we are	
Pears	1 1/2-2c	selling. Prices	
Tomatoes, 3 lb. tins	15c	\$5.00, 4.50, 6.00, 8.00	
25 lb. 1 1/2-2c		Felt Shoes and Overalls for	
Potatoes, per bushel	40c	all the family.	
Rolled Oats, 8 lb. sack	30c	New shipment of Boys', Girls'	
" 20 lb. sack	70c	and Children's Shoes, ar-	
R.H. and Purcell Rolled Oats	25c	rived this week. Made by	
Corn Flakes, 3 for	25c	Canada's Best Shoe Makers.	

Fur Coats, Mackinaw Coats, Sheep Coats, Wool Underwear,
Sweaters, Gloves, Moccasins all at Rock Bottom Prices.

Highest Prices Paid for Fresh
BUTTER and EGGS

Guarantee: If you are not satisfied return your goods
and get your MONEY BACK.

E. F. PURCELL
Bassano and Brooks, Alberta